

# CHARGE TO THE NEWLY PROMOTED NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICER



1775

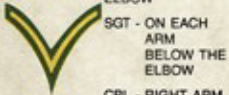
RED - SGT

GREEN - CPL

WORN ON RIGHT SHOULDER

1821

SGM - ON EACH  
ARM  
ABOVE THE  
ELBOW



SGT - ON EACH  
ARM  
BELOW THE  
ELBOW

CPL - RIGHT ARM  
ONLY BELOW  
THE ELBOW

FIRST USE OF  
CHEVRON

1833



SGT

CPL

1847



SGM

1SG

1851



SGM

1SG

1888



1SG

SGT

I will discharge carefully and diligently the duties of the grade to which I have been promoted and uphold the traditions and standards of the Army.

I understand that soldiers of lesser rank are required to obey my lawful orders. Accordingly, I accept responsibility for their actions. As a noncommissioned officer, I accept the charge to observe and follow the orders and directions given by supervisors acting according to the laws, articles and rules governing the discipline of the Army, I will correct conditions detrimental to the readiness thereof. In so doing, I will fulfill my greatest obligation as a leader and thereby confirm my status as a noncommissioned officer.

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Command Sergeant Major

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date

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Noncommissioned Officer

1898 - 1907



SGM

1SG

SGT

1945



MSG

1SG

TSGT

1958



MSG

SFC

1994



SMA

TODAY



SMA



CSM

SGM



1SG

MSG



SFC



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SGT



CPL